West Rift Denied

LONDON (Reuters) — British and West German officials Monday dismissed as "speculation" reports of a Western split on the substance and timing of talks with Russia over Berlin and German reunification.

West Germany and France, according to some reports, are adhering to the basic line that Germany can only be reunified on the basis of free elections throughout the country. The U.S. and Britain are reported more flexible.

In Washington, meanwhile, Sen. William Fulbright, incoming chairman of the Senate foreign relations committee, said last night that Secretary of State Dulles was "considering very seriously" possible counter-proposals to Russia in the Berlin crisis.

'Hot Spell' In Yukon

DAWSON, Y.T. (CP) — The mercury climbed to zero Monday—the warmest it's been here in more than a month.

For five consecutive days in January, temperatures were in the 50-below-zero range, dropping to 58 below on one day.

Critical fuel shortage is feared.

Search Goes On For Danish Ship

HALIFAX (CP)—The search for the missing Danish ship Hans Hedtoft was called off Monday night and is to resume today at daybreak.

Faint and erratic radio signals were heard Sunday night by two Greenland shore stations and a Danish rescue ship in the area.

But RCAF officers here said they were convinced that the sputtering dot-dash messages which no one could read had not come from a survivor.

Courtroom Parade

Guilty Plea In Break-In

A Victoria man yesterday pleaded guilty in city police court to a break-in and theft last summer, and was remanded to Friday for a probation report and sentence.

Court was told that Harold Maldwyn Roberts had smashed with a rock a window at Western Agencies Ltd., 2500 Douglas, and picked up a tape recorder valued at about $447.

This, court was told, he took to 587 Maryfield Avenue and hid in a cupboard.

Roberts told police he was intoxicated at the time of the offence and later could not figure out how to make things right.

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Owners of two Victoria firms, charged with failing to file returns as required by the Social Services Tax Act, pleaded guilty before Magistrate William Ostler.

L. C. Wyatt, operating the Overseas Cycle Works, Fisgard Street, was fined $10 on each of four counts; Peter Lee, of Manor Upholstering Co., Government Street, was fined $10 on each of five counts.

In both cases, court was told, the amount of tax due had been paid, and returns either filed or were being filed.

Dale Walter Cainey, 439 Superior, was sentenced to nine months on a charge of bigamy, the sentence being concurrent with a similar sentence already handed down in juvenile court.

Accused was married some years ago in England and then went through a form of marriage in Victoria without obtaining a divorce. He had pleaded guilty to the charge.

In a brief sitting of Saanich police court William George Haines, 1824 Feltham, was fined $50 when he pleaded guilty to supplying liquor to a minor.

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New Assurances and Annuities . . *Increase* $25,523,317	$ 261,255,518
Assurances and Annuities in force *Increase* $205,880,112	$1,743,934,234
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